

**DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION  
USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)**

**Title of Invention** MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC ULTRASOUND INSTRUMENT WITH ECG MODULE, AUTHORIZATION MECHANISM AND METHODS OF USE

As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

This declaration is directed to:

The attached application, or  
 Application No. 10/062,179 filed on February 1, 2002  
 as amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable);

I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

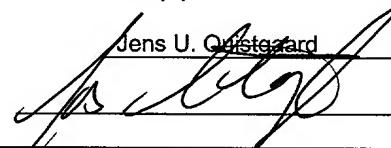
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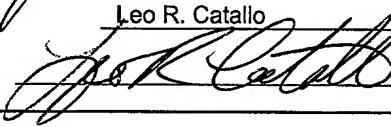
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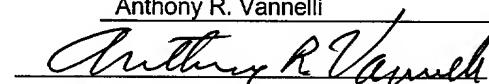
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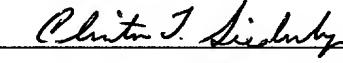
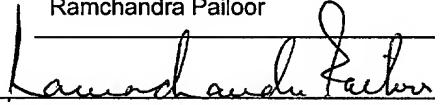
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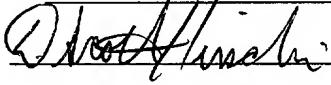
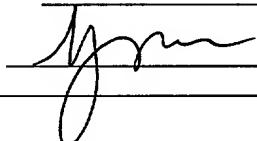
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	<b>Filing Date</b>	February 1, 2002
	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Jens U. Quistgaard
	<b>Title</b>	Medical Diagnostic Ultrasound Instrument with ECG Module, Authorization Mechanism and Methods of Use
	<b>Group Art Unit</b>	3737
	<b>Examiner Name</b>	
	<b>Attorney Docket Number</b>	019162-003110US

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### STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Jens U. Quistgaard et al.

Application No./Patent No.: 10/062,179

Filed/Issue Date: February 1, 2002

Entitled: Medical Diagnostic Ultrasound Instrument with ECG Module, Authorization Mechanism and Methods of Use

SonoSite, Inc. a Washington corporation

(Name of Assignee)

(Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

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Date

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